

(Cont. from last time 1.2)

Using Supremum and Infimum

write this but only prove parts below

$$\text{If } A \subset \mathbb{R} \text{ and } x \in \mathbb{R} \quad x+A := \{x+y \mid y \in A\}$$

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Prop 1.2.6 Let $A \subset \mathbb{R}$ be bdd. and nonempty.

- i) If $x \in \mathbb{R}$, then $\sup(x+A) = x + \sup A$
- ii) If $x \in \mathbb{R}$, then $\inf(x+A) = x + \inf A$ *
- iii) If $x > 0$, then $\sup(xA) = x \sup A$
- iv) If $x > 0$, then $\inf(xA) = x \inf A$
- v) If $x < 0$, then $\sup(xA) = x \inf A$ *
- vi) If $x < 0$, then $\inf(xA) = x \sup A$

pf: (i) on book

(ii) $\inf(x+A) \leq x + \inf A \Leftrightarrow \inf(x+A) - x \leq \inf A$ show the left side is a lower bound for A .

$\inf(x+A)$ is a lower bound for $x+A$ so $\inf(x+A) \leq x+y \quad \forall y \in A$.

Then $\inf(x+A) - x \leq y \quad \forall y \in A$, which says $\inf(x+A) - x$ is a lower bound for A .

By maximality, $\inf(\inf(x+A) - x) = \inf A$. i.e.

$$\inf(x+A) \leq x + \inf A.$$

show $\inf(x+A) \geq x + \inf A$ show $x + \inf A$ is a lower bound for $x+A$. $x + \inf A \leq x+y \quad \forall y \in A$.

$\inf A$ is a lower bound for A so $\inf A \leq y \quad \forall y \in A$.

Then $x + \inf A \leq x+y \quad \forall y \in A$.

This says $x + \inf A$ is a lower bound for $x+A$ so

$$x + \inf A \leq \inf(x+A) \text{ by maximality.}$$

Therefore, $\inf(x+A) = x + \inf A$

make shorter: $\forall y \in A \quad \inf A \leq y$ so $x + \inf A \leq x+y$. That $x + \inf A$ is a l.b. for $x+A$.

and $x + \inf A \leq \inf(x+A)$. $\inf(x+A) \leq x+y \quad \forall y \in A$, so

$$\inf(x+A) - x \leq y \quad \forall y \in A.$$

This says $\inf(x+A) - x$ is a l.b. for A so $\inf(x+A) - x \leq \inf A$. Therefore,

$$x + \inf A \geq \inf(x+A).$$

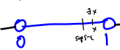
* Prop 1.2.8 If $S \subset \mathbb{R}$ is a nonempty bdd. set, then

$$\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists x \in S \text{ such that } \sup S - \epsilon < x \leq \sup S$$

pf $\sup S$ is the least upper bound for S , so $\sup S - \epsilon$ is not an ub.

Then $\exists x \in S$ with $\sup S - \epsilon < x$. Since $\sup S$ is an upper bound for S , the

$$x \leq \sup S. \text{ Consequently, } \sup S - \epsilon < x \leq \sup S.$$



* Have class guess $\exists x \in S$ with $\inf S \leq x < (\inf S) + \epsilon$

* Skip extended reals

* If time, discuss hw or have student groups finish Prop 1.2.6

(iii) Similar to (i)

Prove $\sup(xA) \geq x \sup A$ by showing $\frac{1}{x} \sup(xA)$ is an upper bound for A .

Prove $\sup(xA) \leq x \sup A$ by showing $x \sup A$ is an upper bound for xA .

(iv) Similar to (ii)

(v) Assume $x < 0$. $\sup(xA) \leq x \inf A$ by def. $\inf A \leq y \quad \forall y \in A$. Since $x < 0$, $x \inf A \geq x+y$ so $x \inf A$ is an upper bound for xA . By maximality of \sup , $\sup(xA) \leq x \inf A$.

Just sketch: $\sup(xA) \geq x \sup A$ By def. of \sup , $\sup(xA) \geq xy \quad \forall y \in A$. Since $x < 0$, $\frac{1}{x} \sup(xA) \leq y \quad \forall y \in A$. So $\frac{1}{x} \sup(xA)$ is a lower bound for A . By minimality of \inf , $\frac{1}{x} \sup(xA) \leq \inf A$. Then $\sup(xA) \geq x \inf A$.

(vi) Similar to (v).

1.3 Absolute Value

Def $|x| = \begin{cases} x & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ -x & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases} \quad 1.1: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

Prop 1.3.1 (i) $|x| \geq 0$ and $|x|=0$ iff $x=0$ (ii) $|x|=|x|$ (iii) $|xy|=|x||y|$ (iv) $|x|^2=x^2$ (v) $|x| \leq y$ iff $-y \leq x \leq y$ (vi) $-|x| \leq x \leq |x|$

Prop 1.3.2 (Triangle inequality) $|x+y| \leq |x| + |y| \quad \forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}$

By Proposition 1.3.1 part (vi), it suffices to prove $-(|x| + |y|) \leq x+y \leq |x| + |y|$

Part (vi) tells us $-|x| \leq x \leq |x|$ and $-|y| \leq y \leq |y|$.

$$-(|x| + |y|) = -|x| - |y| \leq x + y \leq |x| + |y| \quad \square$$

Corollary 1.3.3 Let $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$

(i) (Reverse Triangle inequality) $|x-y| \leq |x| + |y|$ Then $|x-y| = |x+(-y)| \leq |x| + |-y| = |x| + |y|$

(ii) $|x-y| \leq |x| + |y| \quad |x-y| \leq |x| + |-y| = |x| + |y|$

Def 1.3.6 We say $f: D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is bounded if $\exists M > 0$ such that $|f(x)| \leq M \quad \forall x \in D$

Notation: $\sup_{x \in D} f(x) = \sup f(D) \quad \inf_{x \in D} f(x) = \inf f(D)$

Prop 1.3.7 If $f: D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g: D \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad (D \neq \emptyset)$ are bounded and $f(x) \leq g(x) \quad \forall x \in D$, then

$$\sup_{x \in D} f(x) \leq \sup_{x \in D} g(x) \quad \text{and} \quad \inf_{x \in D} f(x) \geq \inf_{x \in D} g(x)$$

(Be careful about the variables)

We can't conclude $\sup_{x \in D} f(x) = \sup_{x \in D} g(x)$

We would need the stronger hypothesis: $f(x) = g(x) \quad \forall x \in D$.